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For: **METHOD FOR STABILIZING ACTIVE COMPONENTS USING POLYOL/POLYMER MICROCAPSULE, AND COSMETIC COMPOSITION CONTAINING THE MICROCAPSULE**

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September 28, 2005

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

RESPONSE

Responsive to the Official Action of September 1, 2005 and the requirement for restriction presented in it, applicants elect the subject matter of Group II, namely claims 10-12 drawn to a process as amended in the Preliminary Amendment of February 13, 2004. This response is made without traverse.

Please examine the elected claims taking into account the Information Disclosure Statement filed November 30, 2004. An examination on the merits is awaited.

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